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## OHIO'S ONLY LIFE Insurance Company.

Letter of Hon. Henry Mack State Senator from Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 19th, 1889.  
To the Union Central Life Insurance Co., of Cincinnati, O.:

GENTLEMEN:—

I take pleasure in acknowledging the receipt of Ten Thousand and Eighty-Four Dollars (\$10,084.84), the same being in payment of my Policy, No. 7856, for \$10,000, issued August 16, 1871. I was among the first of your members to take a Policy on the Life Rate Endowment Plan, and I have thus made eight-ten full payments at the Ordinary Life Rate, charged by you and other companies, and by leaving my dividends and profits with the Company, instead of using them to decrease the annual payments, my Policy has become an Endowment, and I have received the full Ten Thousand Dollars, an excess of \$84.84.

I can cheerfully recommend the Union Central and its officers, whom I have known personally for many years. I am now beyond the age of insurance according to the law of Ohio, otherwise I should be pleased to take out another Policy, as I can only speak in the highest terms of the Company's fair and honorable dealing, and its kindness and courtesy to me. As a citizen of Cincinnati, I am proud of the great success that the Union Central has made, and the prominent place it now occupies among the largest and best companies in the United States.

I am Yours Very Respectfully,  
HENRY MACK.

West Liberty, Ohio.

December 30th, 1868, I took out a \$4,000 Policy on my life, through J. E. Hoffelinger, General Agent for the Union Central Life Insurance Company, of Cincinnati, O., on the 20 year Endowment Plan.

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A. G. WILLIAMSON,  
West Liberty, Logan Co., O.

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The State of Ohio.  
The advantage of doing business with a home company and home agents is apparent to all.

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## Wrecks on the Rail.

The Life of the Vice President Endangered.

**COLLISION IN BALTIMORE.**

The Wreck Caused by the Failure of One Train to Observe the Proper Signals. Fortunately No One Is Injured—An Unavoidable Accident.

BALTIMORE, April 27.—There was a collision on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, in Baltimore, yesterday, at the intersection of the main line and the tracks running to Locust Point, between the Philadelphia express, north-bound from Washington, and the south-bound train from Philadelphia, due at Baltimore at 10:35 a. m. On the north-bound train were Vice President Morton, Gen. J. M. Schofield and Mrs. Governor Finkler. The accident was caused by failure of the north-bound train to observe the signals, showing that another train had the right of way.

Both trains were going very slow. The vice president's party did not feel the shock beyond consciousness of a more than ordinary short stop, and did not know there had been an accident until informed. Martin L. Milbourne, engineer of the south-bound train, was the only person injured. He sustained a compound fracture of the right leg by jumping from his engine. Three other employees reported as hurt are uninjured. Both engines are damaged to the extent of \$300.

The only person seriously injured was Engineer Milbourne, of the west-bound train. He had his leg crushed at the knee. Among other distinguished persons aboard were Gen. Schofield and staff and Gen. Finkler, of Ohio, and staff. All were going to New York. The accident was not very serious. Both baggage cars were shattered to pieces. Superintendent Fitzgerald had the tracks clear by 2 o'clock.

Caused by a Fog.

TRENTON, N. J., April 27.—Yesterday a special freight train on the Pennsylvania railroad, during a fog ran into freight train No. 638 within one hundred yards of the Delaware river bridge. Both trains were going towards Philadelphia. The engineers and firemen jumped in time to save their lives. A man who was riding the caboose of train No. 638 was killed instantly. From papers found on the body he appeared to have been William A. Helton, an ironwork repairer of No. 170 Moravian street, Philadelphia. The body was taken to the morgue. An empty oil tank and one other car were thrown down an embankment and brought up alongside some farm dwelling. One engine was badly damaged.

Reversed Ten Hours.

BOSTON, April 27.—The Boston and Atlantic limited express for New York ran into some freight cars here last night, badly damaging two tank cars and the locomotive, but injuring nobody. The yard was so full that the freight train was delayed in getting on a siding. A signal man went back to warn the express, and the engineer had to reverse his engine, owing to a slippery track. The reversing caused the wheels of both cylinder heads, depriving the engine of control, so that it was impossible to prevent the collision. The passengers were somewhat shaken up, but not hurt.

**EXTRADITION BILL PASSED.**

American Marauders Will Not Have a Haven of Refuge Across the Border.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 27.—The extradition bill was passed by the Senate yesterday. The measure will be assented to next week by the governor general. It is reported that the bill will be submitted to the English government for approval before it becomes a law.

An examination of the recent vote on the bill in the house of commons shows that nearly all the gentlemen in the house voted against the retroactive clause, which was provided for the surrender of fugitives guilty of offences prior to the passing of the act.

Steamers Ashore.

ARLHARD, Wis., April 27.—The steamer Australasia and consort, Schooner George, were driven ashore off Michigan island during the gale Wednesday morning. They were coming to this port for coal. Both boats had their bottom stoves in, and are filled with water. The Australasia lost her stove rudder and wheel, and was otherwise seriously damaged. The Australasia is a monster ore carrier, commanded by Capt. Reid, and is owned by the Corrigans, of Cleveland. A steam pump, diver and tug will be necessary to float both boats. No lives were lost. The Australasia is valued at \$210,000 and the George at \$30,000.

Hydrophobia Among Cattle.

ABILENE, Kan., April 26.—Twenty-six head of fine steers in a herd fattening here were killed because they had hydrophobia. A mad dog bit one of the herd 200 or 300 feet away. Rabies spread rapidly. It became necessary to shoot the maddened animals. The disease is still spreading, and two herd were killed Thursday. Others were afflicted.

Six Hundred Men Out.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 27.—The earth over the Boston mine at Plymouth, operated by the Delaware and Hudson company, caved in yesterday, causing the colliery to become flooded, and throwing 600 employees out of work until the water can be pumped out. Loss probably \$60,000.

Taken from the Wreck.

AUCKLAND, April 27.—Divers have recovered the treasure which was on board the United States man-of-war Trenton when she sank in the recent hurricane at Samoa. The United States steamer Albatross will accompany the Trenton to this port.

No Epidemic at Sanford.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., April 27.—Surgeon General Hamilton says the case of Mrs. Bennett is the only one that has appeared at Sanford, and he sees no danger of the yellow fever epidemic recurring this year.

## CHINESE NEWS.

Effects of a Famine—Ragings of a Terrible Disease—Other Items.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 27.—The China steamer arrived yesterday, bringing Shanghai news to March 30 and Yokohama news to April 8. There is no check to the famine, and the death rate is increasing despite the relief afforded by foreign missionaries, who are sending urgent appeals to Shanghai for money.

Rumors are again current of the illness of Viceroy Li Hung Chang. It is now stated that he is so seriously indisposed that he can scarcely articulate distinctly. His death would be a great blow to the foreigners in China, as he has opposed the growing party that is against the development of all European trade.

A terrible disease which resembles typhus fever has broken out in Anagawa Ken, Japan. Of sixty-four cases, forty ended fatally within twenty-four hours after the first attack. Doctors attribute the disease to bad rice.

The Marquis de Mores will leave Tonkin soon for Paris, as the French government has ordered that nothing be done about railroad building there until sanctioned by the government. This will delay railroad construction for fully one year.

**One of the Elements.**

New York Visited By a Destructive Fire.

**EXCITING AND DANGEROUS.**

Extreme Heat and Falling Walls Make It Very Unpleasant for the Firemen.

Smoking Cigars—Other Fire Losses.

NEW YORK, April 27.—The most exciting fire that has visited Harlem for some years started at 11:30 o'clock last night in the fourth story brick building, 213 and 214 East One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, which was built about three weeks ago, the distributing station of the Harlem Electric Light company.

The building and its contents were totally destroyed and a loss of from \$7,000 to \$120,000 is claimed by the superintendent of the company. Although the company occupies a new building, it is claimed that none of the valuable machinery had been removed from the One Hundred and Twenty-second street building.

The heat was so intense that a row of three-story dwellings on the opposite side of the street caught several times, but the flames were each time extinguished. There is scarcely a whole pane of glass in the front of the houses and the window casings are all burned. The east wall of the factory building fell open and crushed a masonry frame stable adjoining, also badly damaged the dwelling 248, occupied by Mrs. Talley.

The rear of a row of tenement houses on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street also took fire, and was damaged considerably. The rear of the three-story carriage factory of J. H. Butler, 230 Second avenue, was also set on fire, and the building and contents were badly damaged by fire and water. The upper floors of this building are occupied as a cigar factory, and the stock of tobacco and cigars was badly soaked. Total loss probably from \$125,000 to \$150,000.

An Opera House on Fire.

MATTOON, Ill., April 27.—About midnight Duke's handsome opera house was discovered to be on fire. Efficient work was promptly rendered by the fire company and only a part of the roof and interior was consumed. Three rooms under the opera house occupied by stocks of jewelry, books and stationery, hardware and groceries were badly damaged by water and handling, but the loss is doubtless covered by insurance.

**AWFUL TRAGEDY.**

A Father Kills His Two Children with an Ax and Then Cuts His Own Throat.

WINNIPEG, April 27.—A horrible tale of murder and suicide just reached here from High Bluff, a little village only a few miles from this city, the victim being a farmer named McLeod and his daughter, while another child, a boy of 13 years, is so badly wounded that he cannot survive. McLeod's house is a mile or so away from High Bluff Station, on what is known as the "Black Road." He was last seen that night about dusk. A neighbor named Lotta visited the house yesterday for dinner, and was horrified to find McLeod on his side with his throat cut, lying near the stove. Both children were found in the bedroom off from kitchen. The girl, who was not more than 8 years old, had been struck on the head with the sharp edge of an ax, and was dead.

The boy, who had his clothes on, had four deep gashes on his head. The ax with which the horrible crimes were committed was found a few feet behind the dead body of the father, and was discovered in the cellar. There were tracks of blood from the cellar to near where the suicide lay. The cause of the deed is attributed to the financial difficulties of McLeod, whose wife died two years ago. He was one of the best known farmers in Manitoba, and a man respected by all who knew him.

A Pair of Cranks.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Mrs. Flore De Marco, aged 18, shot herself dead last night owing to dependency at her childless confinement. She was married at Argyle, Wis., fifteen months ago to a railroad contractor. The husband tried to commit suicide on learning of her death.

Dependent and Died.

WINNIPEG, April 27.—Farmer McLeod, of High Bluff, a little settlement near this city, last night, while in a fit of dependency over financial difficulties killed his 5-year-old daughter, fatally wounded his sons with an ax, and then committed suicide by cutting his throat.

Progress of Haves' Trial.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 27.—The theory of the defense in the Haves murder case is that Fanny Bryant killed Mrs. Haves for her money, and her accomplice, a man named Thompson, who resembles Haves, killed the child and disappeared.

## Foreign Dispatches.

All the Happenings From Over the Ocean.

**MORE BOULANGER RUMORS.**

One of the Kaites Not Wanted in England on Account of His Past Utterances. Other Occurrences From the Atlantic Cable.

LONDON, April 27.—The reports concerning the departure of Mr. Henri Rochefort from Brussels and his arrival in England have been conflicting, and without doubt were designed so. It was given out at first that he had been left behind in Brussels when Boulanger and his companions in exile left the Belgian city and state, it was reported that the valiant editor accompanied his chief in his English invasion, and still later this was denied.

The facts are that Rochefort was left in Brussels and came over yesterday, stealing into London last night very quietly and going unobserved to Madame Deschamps' hotel, in Ryder street. The reason for so much secrecy and caution is that Rochefort found a rough reception at the hands of an English mob on account of the numerous anti-English utterances to which he has given expression in his paper during the last dozen years or so. He was afraid his delicate wish that the mob might annihilate Gen. Wolesey and his outland when the latter was conducting the Egyptian campaign would stir up resentment in the English breast.

Boulanger Interviewed.

LONDON, April 27.—In an interview with Gen. Boulanger, the latter reiterated what he had stated yesterday, that he would issue a manifesto at present. He disavowed any intention of fighting a war between France and Germany, nevertheless the general said that he did not consider that the future of France was settled for over by the war of 1870. He declared that he would never consent to have France humiliated. He said he was most anxious to cement France, England and Russia by friendship.

A select party, including Gen. Boulanger, Count Dillon, Gen. Graham and an unknown lady, dined last night with Lord Randolph Churchill.

Empress of Austria's Condition Neglected.

VIENNA, April 27.—The abuse of official protests against the ministerial reports of the foreign press in regard to the health of Empress Elizabeth, who is seriously ill, although deeply afflicted at the untimely death of the late Crown Prince Rudolf. She had a severe attack of neuritis, but the trouble is abating.

Germany Growing Uneasy.

VIENNA, April 27.—Emperor Francis Joseph granted an audience yesterday to Capt. Hein and Lieut. Sargent who presented their letters of appointment as military and naval attaches to the United States legation. The emperor conversed with Lieut. Sargent about the new American dynamite ships.

Afraid of the Gun.

LONDON, April 27.—Advice from St. Petersburg are that arrests of Nihilists suspected of plots against the czar continued. The police feel certain that the bomb manufactured at Zurich are now concealed in Russia ready to be used when occasion offers.

Woodlands at Auction.

MADRID, April 27.—It is expected that the government will shortly sell at auction 240,000,000 worth of woodlands belonging to the state, in order to cover a deficit in funds and to build railroads, canals and highways, and to establish rural loan banks.

Area of Relief.

HAMBURG, April 27.—The fund which is being raised in this city for the families of the German sailors who lost their lives at Samoa in the recent hurricane now amounts to 20,000 marks. It has been forwarded to Prince Bismarck.

New He Can Remain in London.

PARIS, April 27.—The Havas agency states that a British foreign office official has called upon Gen. Boulanger and acquainted him with the conditions on which he will be permitted to remain in London.

The Nipote Further Disabled.

LONDON, April 27.—A dispatch from Auckland says that the United States steamer Nipote was again disabled while being towed in Apia harbor. Matanzas has returned to Apia.

Reaction Sought.

PITTSBURGH, April 27.—Capt. Anson, of the Chicago club, has confirmed the report that he had bought Second Base man Sam Egan of Philadelphia. Egan joined the team last night.

Will Discuss the Samoan Question.

BERLIN, April 27.—The National Gazette declares that the government will give every facility for a debate in the Reichstag on the Samoan question as early as possible.

Foreign News.

King William will resume the active government of Holland on May 8. Mr. Gladstone's son, William, who has been seriously ill for some time, is now better.

The municipal committee having charge of the exposition fees will distribute 600,000 francs among the poor of Paris.

Heavy storms have destroyed the crops in the Forlister district of Siberia. Five persons were killed by lightning.

Emperor William has invited the marine artist, Salzman, to accompany himself and King Oscar, of Sweden, on their trip to the North Cape.

How Well-matched. A Maltese inspector of police, has been arrested at Rheinfelden, Switzerland, charged with paying a Swiss to act as agent provocateur.

and naval attaches to the American legation.

It is learned from official sources that the czar and empress, the Prince and Princess of Wales and the Duke and Duchess of Cumberland, will visit Copenhagen during the summer.

King Charles officially announced to the Bucharest municipal authorities that his nephew, Prince Ferdinand, had been selected as heir to the throne of Roumania, and that an official residence was being prepared for him at the capital.

A mail car attached to a train running between Frankfurt and Mayence, Alsace, was discovered on its arrival at the latter place, Wednesday, to have been robbed of registered letters containing the aggregate amount of 30,000 marks. The robbers have not yet been arrested.

## Pension Decisions.

Several Important Ones Made By Assistant Secretary Bussey.

**FORMER ONES REVERSED.**

Some Old Claims to be Reconsidered.

Several Important Appointments in the Postoffice Department—Various Other Washington Dispatches.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Assistant Secretary Bussey has rendered several important decisions in pension cases. He overruled the pension office and directed that a pension be granted to John W. Jones for fracture of the leg. Jones first had his leg broken by a companion. Subsequently he broke the same leg while on duty as cook. Mr. Bussey holds that he was in the line of duty, and that the second fracture was directly attributable to the first.

In the case of William Evans, the decision of the pension office is also reversed. His claim was rejected. The evidence showed that Evans sustained a fracture of the leg while at play. It is not clear that Evans was playing with the other soldiers, and Mr. Bussey directs that the case be opened and adjudicated in accordance with the principles laid down in the decision reversing the decision in the Ammerman case.

In the case of Alexander Mark, Mr. Bussey directs that he be recognized as a soldier who received a rupture by a comrade jumping on his back. While the evidence on this point is not clear, Mr. Bussey says: "The department decides from the view that an injury received by a soldier from a comrade is a military injury, and that the rupture in this case should be regarded as not having been received in the line of duty. The case is therefore reopened to allow Mark an opportunity to present conclusive evidence of injury."

In the case of William Jones, Assistant Secretary Bussey elaborates a former decision touching the "line of duty." In the case of Jones received a serious wound by being thrown over a balustrade by a comrade while in the act of eating his dinner, while on guard mount. He directs that the Jones pension be granted.

Appointments in the Postoffice.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Superintendent Bell of the railway mail service, has made the following appointments of superintendents of mails: Thomas Ingalls, of Louisville, Ky.; N. J. Miller, of Des Moines, Iowa; H. C. Parlin, of Minneapolis, and C. C. Clark, of Columbus, O. All of these appointments were promoted from the railway mail service in which they have served for a period of two years or more.

Cot. A. G. Sharp, of Tennessee, formerly chief postoffice inspector, has been appointed chief inspector of the Atlanta, Ga., division, to succeed W. W. Simpson, resigned.

James T. Metcalf, of Iowa, has been appointed chief clerk of the money order office, postoffice department, vice W. B. Cooley, appointed chief clerk of the postoffice department.

Mails in Oklahoma.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Second Postmaster General Whitfield has directed the establishment of a temporary mail messenger service from Guthrie to Lisbon, in Oklahoma territory, a distance of thirty-five miles. The cost is not to exceed \$2,000 per annum. As soon as possible star service will be established between these two points. This cannot be done for two weeks, as by law all star route service has to be advertised for ten days.

Star service will also be put on between Edmond station, on the Santa Fe railroad, and Wolfston, a town in the interior, as soon as a postoffice is established at Edmond station.

Health of the President.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Somebody has started a discussion as to the present condition of the president's health, alleging that the worry of the past month has been so great that the chief executive suffers at times from a mild form of insanity. Secretary Halford said that there was no truth whatever in the rumor. He had known the president for twenty years and Mr. Harrison's health was never better than it is now.

Fixed for May First.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 27.—Postmaster General has asked the president if he would postpone beyond May 1st the enforcement of civil service regulations in the railway mail service. The president stated that he could not postpone the date for putting the order into effect.

Ready to Come Back.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The state department has been informed by cable that Minister Pöschel at Berlin has presented his letters of recall, and that the affairs of the legation have been temporarily turned over to the charge d'affaires.

Staines Better.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Secretary Staines is much better to-day, but on account of the rainy weather did not leave his room at the Normandy.

Lead to a Kiss One Ago.

New Bedford, Mass., April 27.—See-jun, died last night, aged 94 years.

## Weekly Trade Review

Business is Very Unsatisfactory at Present.

**RETAIL TRADE VERY FLAT.**

A Slight Improvement Reported From Interior Cities—Collections Better—A Large Crop Prospect—Iron Market Unsatisfactory—Wheat Higher—Valuations of the Past Week.

New York, April 27.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of trade says: Business in this region is so interrupted by continental preparations, and the approaching holidays, that the decrease in volume is not surprising. Some disappointment is felt, however, because retail trade is so flat, except in decoration goods. Reports from other quarters indicate continued improvement, and even in the iron and woolen branches the signs for the present are more favorable.

Money is accumulating here and plenty at nearly all interior points. Collections generally better though improvement is not at Milwaukee, and while the general complaint is that the present demand for money is moderate, the confidence that business will soon expand is as strong as ever. Perhaps it is influenced a little too much by the belief that the crops this year are to be unusually large, but after all reasonable allowance there is more ground than usual to look for a year of good trade. The iron market continues unsatisfactory here and southern No. 1 is sold at \$16.45, and a sale of steel rails at less than \$27 at mill is reported. But the feeling at Philadelphia is clearly improved, the demand for plate and tank iron and sheet iron being fair, while there is decided improvement in structural iron and in rails.

The market for cotton is more steady, several mills near Philadelphia having closed, reducing the supply. With all the indications of improvement, it is not yet clear that the consumption will sustain the present large output of pig iron and prices do not strengthen. In the wool market also a better feeling is noted, and prices seem firmer, though buying is strictly limited, and the mills are working at only part of their capacity. There is no change of some other trade which has been very dull, distinct improvement is observed at Philadelphia, with collections in better shape, and prospects brighter.

In most of the speculative markets prices are lower. The price of wheat is two cents lower at eighty-three cents, with sales of forty and a half million bushels for the week. Corn is one-eighth cent lower at forty-two and three-eighths cents, and one cent lower. Coffee has not changed, but speculation in sugar has turned downward, and fair dealing is over one-half cent lower at three-eighths cent. There is no change of some other trade which has been very dull, distinct improvement is observed at Philadelphia, with collections in better shape, and prospects brighter.

In consequence mainly of the enormous cotton movement, the value of exports in March exceeded the value of merchandise imports by \$2,837,331. The net exports of gold, \$3,712,225 for the month, and about \$1,000,000 of silver, made about \$7,000,000 paid abroad against interest due and undervaluations. For three months the net exports of merchandise and specie represented about half of the interest and undervaluations. The figures show that in spite of much weakness in speculative stocks, the foreign investments still stood withdrawals of foreign capital, and of late the demand for railroad and other bonds has been exceptionally strong. At New York the merchandise exports for April thus far exceed last year's by 21 per cent, while in the imports here there is an apparent decline of 8 per cent.—due, however, to the fact that the quantity is already supplied, but also in part to the decline in price of most commodities here, while in European markets the general tendency of prices is upward. Since April the fall in the average price of all commodities here has been fully half of 1 per cent.

The dry goods business is well maintained. The grocery trade has been more active. No sale of lake copper are reported here, but London prices are still lower, while tin is stronger. The demand for lead seems to be supplied for the present and \$3.65 is the latest quotation. It is a fact worthy of notice that some considerable failures of late have produced no disturbance or feeling of apprehension, and while the number of failures has been very large thus far this year, there was not the sense of uneasiness which would usually attend such a record of disasters.

Failures during the last seven days: United States 135, Canada 27; total 212; compared with 245 last week and 223 same week last year.

Wreck on the River.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 27.—A collision occurred last night in the Willamette river, a few miles below Portland, between the British steamship Danube and the American steamship Alliance. The Alliance was nearly cut in two, and was beached. Her passengers were safely taken off by the steamer Lurline, which happened to be near. A misunderstanding of signals caused the collision.

Tired of Railroad Business.

BALTIMORE, April 27.—William Clements, manager of the Baltimore and Ohio, and of the Ohio river, has resigned. J. T. O'Neil, formerly general manager of the Chesapeake and Ohio will be appointed general manager of all Baltimore and Ohio lines. It is known who will succeed Clements.

Religious Upheaval in Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, April 27.—The government has sent troops to La Paz, in the state of Chihuahua, to quell the religious uprising there.



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## LABOR NEWS.

Amalgamated Scale Expected to Show Little Change.

PITTSBURGH, April 27.—All delegates to the annual Amalgamated association convention have been mailed a copy of the program of business to come up before that body. It is generally conceded that the scale will be practically the same as last year, except that a cut will be made in the scale's wages to enable other manufacturers to compete with the Bellows works, whose a reduction of nearly 20 per cent. has been accepted by the millers.

The roughers and catchers will meet on Sunday to insist that their demands be given a hearing at the unorganized convention, and if not they threaten to cause serious disorders. At the same time it is reported that a meeting of manufacturers was called last Monday by Joseph D. Weeks, secretary of the Western Iron association, in order to reorganize the association of iron and steel mill owners. This is with a view of enforcing a very sweeping reduction in wages. The manufacturers expect that they will be very ungenerally opposed by a session in the ranks of the workers, and are confidently looking forward to a split at the next convention.



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**THE STERNBERG REVELS.**

It is a notable fact that there is no art or science, at the present day which has so universally obtained the adulation of all mankind, as the science and art of music.

It is the most complete of all arts, because it is the only one which rests upon the solid foundation of exact science. It is the most beautiful science, because aside from affording satisfaction and delight to the mind, it awakens distinctly separate emotions of happiness in the soul.

Music has the elements of universality within it to an almost divine degree. It awakens the mental and moral faculties, the love and appreciation of the beautiful, sharpens the perception, suggests the nobility of action, and in doing this, it is the most perfect of all arts.

The musical loving people of Marion should not therefore miss the opportunity of being present at Music Hall next Thursday evening, May 2d, to greet the distinguished pianist, Constantine Sternberg, whose talents are acknowledged to be in variety and richness of performance, and the excellence of their performance, among the most enjoyable of musical entertainments.

Add to this the vocal numbers to be given by Miss Gertrude Smith, with her well trained, and highly cultivated voice, which has also the rare qualification of being particularly sweet and pleasing. No one will regret of being present to hear some of the best talent from the Conservatory of Music at Delaware.

Miss Smith will be accompanied in her songs by one of Delaware's most accomplished pianists, Miss Marion Hunter, who we learn is favorably known in this place.

The Knabe concert grand piano is used exclusively by Mr. Sternberg in his recitals. A first-class entertainment is promised by W. G. Winnick.

**John Robinson's Ten Big Shows**

Will visit Marion May 16th, so get your lamp trimmed and yourself and family ready for the biggest and best show in earth. Over 1,000 men, women and children are employed besides 300 horses, 100 ponies, 1,500 rare and costly animals, 100 male and female riders, acrobats, gymnasts, clowns, charioteers, jockeys and race riders are connected with this gigantic entertainment. \$5,000 is the amount each day that is required to carry on its daily expenses, and over \$100,000 alone has been expended in new novelties, feats and features. The whole outfit represents a capital of \$2,000,000. Among its many novelties is the children's Tally Ho coach driven by a child with six of the most beautiful ponies and carrying a living freight of fifteen children. The two pony teams harness to a miniature trotting huggy, the ponies not over twenty-six inches high and four years old, bright eyed child driving it, the endless following of ponies, cats, huggies, chariots, the living representation of Anderella, Jack the giant killer, old woman and the Snow White, the sailor, all will help to brighten the eyes of the children.

Bring them all to see the parade with ponies, elephants, horses, wagons, open dens, bands of music, calliopes, steam organs, zulus, life and drum corps, camels, elks and giraffes.

**Card of Thanks.**

We desire to publicly return our heartfelt thanks to our neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us in the death and burial of our son Elmer; and especially those friends in Lorain who so kindly aided and sympathized with us during the sad affliction.

**Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Romero**  
Lorain Times, please copy.

**A Pleasant Sense**

Of health and strength renewed and of ease and comfort follows the use of Syrup of Figs, as it acts in harmony with nature to effectually cleanse the system when constipated or bilious. For sale in 50c and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

## CHANGES TO BE MADE

In the Flying Apparatus of the New Cruisers Boston and Chicago.  
New York, April 25.—The fact that it has been found necessary to shift the position of the Chicago's quarter torpedoes so as to preserve them from being blown to pieces by the concussion that follows the discharge of the new high power steel rifles, brings to light the point that the introduction of these guns has been attended by a number of problems in naval architecture and gunnery, which have not all been satisfactorily solved yet.

The Chicago's boat problem is just this: The after boats of that cruiser were swung on davits, which, as usual on ships of her general model, were swung out board. With the old-fashioned parrot guns this could be done with perfect safety to the boats. But in the old parrot guns the charge of powder was only about one-tenth the weight of the missile, while in the new high power rifles the charge is sometimes six-tenths. That is for a shell in a parrot gun of 100 pounds weight only ten pounds of powder would be used, while in one of the Chicago's guns the same shell would have sixty pounds of powder behind it. The result is that the concussion from the discharge of one of the new guns is something terrible—so great, in fact, that when one of these inch-guns on the gun deck of the Chicago is fired directly along a line with her keel the after boats on the side from which the gun is fired are smashed into kindling wood by it.

Some of the naval officers claim that it would not have made much difference for the Chicago might have lived her life without the necessary arming for the discharge of her guns at this angle. The department took the view, however, that a man-of-war's boats are something like an old man's bones. They may not need them often, but when they do need them they need them powerful bolt, and the boats are being swung in board. The cruiser Boston shows another curious phase of this question of the concussion from the discharge of the big guns. Her broadside guns are in a bomb proof erected in the center of the ship. The after gun on the port side is so mounted that it can be fired in broadside or through a port directly astern.

Immediately after the bomb proof is the six-inch gun in a barbette. When the six-inch gun is fired from the after port its muzzle is not more than half a dozen feet from the barbette, in which stands the eight-inch gun, and so great is the concussion when the six-inch gun is fired in that position that it is impossible for a man to live in the barbette. So as to test this question fully some three weeks ago the six-inch gun was fired in the barbette and the six-inch gun was fired. Not a single shell remained alive. They had all been killed by the shock.

I asked a naval officer if this was not a serious defect in the effectiveness of the Boston's battery. "No," he replied, "it is not nearly so serious as it would appear at first. Of course, it would be better if both these guns could be fired at once, but there is little likelihood of the necessity for so doing arising. In case of a fight the eight-inch gun would be able to fully protect our rear. If it by any means should become necessary the gun would be withdrawn from the barbette and the six-inch would become effective."

## FRESH FROM THE WIRES.

News in Brief From All Parts of the Country.

Jason Mallon was fatally injured by a fall from a building in New York.

William McIntosh was seriously injured by a fall from a building in New York.

Two men were seriously injured by an explosion at Harrisburg, N. Y.

Lorenz Manz, of Cincinnati, ended his existence with a clothes-line.

Nineteen appointments of fourth-class postmasters for Ohio were made yesterday.

Miss Josephine Hauser committed suicide at St. Paul, Minn. It was her third attempt.

Admiral Jellicoe, U. S. N., commanding the Atlantic squadron, arrived at Yokohama April 1.

A heavy gale which swept Lake Superior Tuesday night was disastrous to the lumber men.

Martin Malloy, arrested at Laporte, Ind., for incest, was shipped out, leaving his home in the lurch.

Governor Merriam and staff, of Minnesota, have left for the Washington centennial celebration in New York.

Warren Taylor, who confessed to the baby-box robbery at Plumerville, Ark., has been threatened with death.

C. C. Clark has been appointed superintendent of mails at Columbus, O., and Theodore Ingalls at Louisville, Ky.

The seventieth anniversary of the introduction of the C. F. Pillsbury into this country was generally observed yesterday.

A negro named Gibson has been sent to the Indiana penitentiary for eight years for criminally assaulting a white woman.

The supreme court of Indiana has decided that the act passed authorizing a temporary loan of \$1,000,000 in that state is constitutional.

Exiled settlers on the Des Moines river lands, who returned and proceeded to put in crops in spite of the injunction, will be arrested.

## MAGICIANS' TRICKS.

MAKE-BELIEVE MIRACLES PERFORMED BY MODERN MORTALS.

The Mystifying Inventions of De Kolta. "Oriental Occultism" Easily Explained. The "Black Art" Is Very Simple When You Know How.

Magical art has undergone many remarkable transformations since Robert Houdin, the father of all modern magic, lived in Paris half a century ago. Perhaps no one could compare with him in celebrity, excepting the original Houdin, who died at Carlsbad a couple of years ago, and from whom the Houdin who at present permeates America took his name and learned what he knows. The present Houdin was known as Neuman, and was an assistant to his greater prototype. He was always remarkable for one thing, and that is his very great dexterity in sleight of hand tricks. To-day there is nobody that can compare with him in this line of work, what is known as palming. In fact anything that can be done with the hands alone, excepting a deaf mute who travels through the cheaper museums, and who is said to have even far greater ability in this line, but without the gift of expressing himself.

## THE FLYING BIRD CAGE.

Herrmann, however, has never been an inventor. He finds his tricks ready-made for him abroad and buys their secret. As a result he is compelled to travel around with a vast paraphernalia that the old magicians would have looked upon with great contempt. In fact, the tendency of modern magic has been the elaboration of the cumbersome, and Herrmann needs a whole roomful of furniture to carry out one of his illusions.

The brightest mind in magic at the present day is a prodigiously named De Kolta. He holds forth in Paris, and being almost a gentleman of leisure, only appears about three nights a week. He has made all the most important of modern inventions in magic. The one that brought him first into prominence in the line of invention was the flying bird cage, which is now so familiar that it can be bought in magic stores for a few dollars, but it made a great sensation at the time. Kolta was the first to buy it from De Kolta, and took the trick to Australia, where he made some \$20,000 out of it. He only paid \$500.

Two or three seasons ago in New York the Vanishing Lady was accepted as a very remarkable novelty. This was also an invention of De Kolta's. During the past year another of his inventions, the Cocoon, has been given in New York both by Kolta and by Herrmann.

But the one that is now most familiar and surprising De Kolta first brought out two years ago. We have seen it with Herrmann under the name of Black Art, and with Kolta under the name of Oriental Occultism. The trick is precisely the same with them both, and is merely an illusion of blackness. The whole scene is played in the blackest of black; the magician, but Kolta or Herrmann, is completely robed in white, so that he stands out clearly in the gloom surrounding him. Then he orders various objects to appear, a cup, a sword, a table, a chair.

## MAGIC IS WAXING.

These things seem to suddenly start into being, and yet the device is of the simplest. The objects in question are concealed behind a black cloth until the order for them to appear is suddenly given. The cloth concealing them is dropped, and they seem to have come out of chaos. In the same manner Mrs. Herrmann or Mrs. Kolta stands on the stage draped in white, but holding up a black cloth between herself and the audience. At the word of the magician she drops the cloth and stands revealed. To the uninitiated the trick is most puzzling. It is the same way that the head detached from the trunk appears to be carried around the stage. The illusion is that the trunk is closed in black, and standing against the blackness of the scene, cannot be distinguished; the head being white, alone appears. This is perhaps the cleverest of all De Kolta's inventions.

Of mechanical tricks Maskelyne, of London, and Kolka are the most noted inventors. Psycho, or the hand that taps on a glass plate in response to the magician's command, is an invention of Kolka, and is simply a piece of very delicate and intricate machinery. It is very similar to the Clio of Maskelyne, and both have a family resemblance to Kolka's chess board, originally invented by Maskelyne. Magicians generally give the palm to Kolka for all tricks of a mathematical kind. He has a marvellously quick mind in this respect, and the most abstruse problems he can solve in a few seconds—apparently, of course, allowing it to be done by some mechanical device.

Whether all this comes within the exact domain of magic does not so much matter as that such tricks are now accepted in magical entertainments and vastly more enjoyed than the old pistol, card and rabbit tricks to which some magicians still adhere—tricks that necessitate the use of a confederate, and which are, therefore, of little account and at which even locals laugh.

The future of magic is hard to forecast. Everything in the sleight-of-hand way has become familiar, and outside of De Kolta there is no inventor of anything new. The result is that recent prestidigitators, such as Herrmann, are compelled to add to their own sort of variety entertainment to fill out the evening. Even Kolka had to go back to the old Indian basket trick for a novelty.

## The Little Circle.

Each one is bound to make the little circle in which he lives better and happier. Each of us is bound to see that out of that small circle the widest good may flow. Each of us may have fixed in his mind the thought that out of a single household may flow influences that shall stimulate the whole commonwealth and the whole civilized world. —Dean Stanley.

## ANOTHER VIEW OF HIM.

A Puritan Matron Protests Against the Assertions of Madame Lanza.

I was pained to see in a recent issue of Once a Week an article by the Marquise Lanza, entitled "The Man Who Fascinated," for it so entirely ignored the moral element in the character of men and women, and presented for our consideration such low and unworthy standards of conduct as to shock all who have not become rousers or cynics. Briefly, Madame Lanza declares that women do not admire men for their goodness or nobility of character, but for their manners and the ability which they may possess to flatter, cajole and deceive the silly if not immoral creatures whom she makes women out to be. I pass over her assertion that women are fascinated by more brute strength. Possibly some of them are; but it is no credit to them. Yet what I wish especially to protest against is the calm assumption on the part of the writer that all women ignore the question of character in a man. "The voracious scoundrel," she says, "that ever drew breath is apt to be a thousand fold more magnetic than he who, having marked out an ethical path for himself, proceeds religiously to follow it. All women like insinuating manners." And again: "A man who desires to please a woman should never tell the whole truth."

Sincerity arouses and even retains respect, but that is a far different thing from fascination. It suggests the tradesman in a leather apron and smelling of garlic compared with a lovely woman made yet lovelier by the scent of rose leaves.

There you have it all. All women are either fools or worse; and in order to gain their attention men need only be outwardly charming. Lying and deceit will not only not hurt them in the estimation of the poor fools whom they wish to ensnare, but will actually help them. As for the rest, they may be as dissolute and immoral as they please; women will still be fascinated by them, so long as they are dissolute in a charming way.

Now, I ask in all seriousness, is that the highest outlook of our age on the great question of the relative relations of men and women? After all these ages of moral conflict, after all the teachings of Christianity, may after all the progress made by humanity in intelligence and morality, is that wretched and repulsive bit of boulevard cynicism all we have to show? I will not believe it. I deny that all women are so mindless, so vain, so utterly unable to appreciate or understand moral goodness and purity as this writer makes them out to be. I submit that Mrs. Lanza speaks only for the fashionable killers of both sexes who in our great cities audaciously assume to be the whole of good society. In reality, they are only the unhealthy and artificial scum that floats on the surface of the great stream of human life. In thousands of happy homes in this city today, among both the lofty and the lowly, men and women are to be found who would repel with indignant scorn such a low and cynical view of our social life. There is such a thing yet among us as a love of goodness, and truth, and virtue in spite of our society cynics and club routes, and minuscule erotic novelists. The women of this fair land are not yet so silly and vain as Mrs. Lanza considers them to be. With an exception here and there they are attracted by purity of life and nobility of soul in a man, and repelled by the rous and the liar, however "charming" their manners may be.—A Puritan Matron in Once a Week.

## An April Fool.

A joke upon popular credulity was a trick perpetuated in London no longer ago than 1860. Thousands of persons received official looking invitations to be present on Sunday forenoon, April 1, "to present the annual ceremony of the washing of the White Lion in the Tower." The favored recipients of these misdeeds were instructed to present themselves at the White Gate for admission. All that forenoon the streets near the Tower were thronged by hundreds of vehicles bearing people in earnest quest of the White Gate. Finally somebody a little less thick witted than the rest of the crowd remembered that there was no white gate to the tower, that there were no white lions, and that ceremonious under governmental auspices on Sunday were at least highly improbable. Like an electric shock his reflections flashed through the throng of ceremony seekers, and their recognition of the fact that all were "April fools" sent them scurrying away in angry haste. —Belford's Magazine.

## The View from Mt. Hamilton.

Professor Whitney says that from the summit of Mt. Hamilton in California, more of the earth's surface can be seen than from any other spot on the globe, though it is only about 4,500 feet high. The view extends around in every direction, and the snow capped range of the lofty Sierras can be plainly seen 200 miles away against the northern sky. To the south, nearly as far away, the San Bernardino range limits the view, and between the two lies room for all the eastern states, with their rivers, lakes, mountains and sea coast. Twenty minutes before reaching the summit, a heavy white cloud floated up and treated us to a drenching shower of rain. We were well prepared, however, and did not suffer any inconvenience beyond loss of the view. —Worcester Spy.

## Proper Precaution.

Young Man (confidentially)—I want to see some of your solitaire rings. Jeweler—Engagement ring. I presume?

Young Man—Yes, sir. Jeweler—Here's just the thing you want. Alaska stone, rolled plate and warranted for a year.

Young Man—But I want a real stone. Jeweler—Of course. As I was going to say, we give one of the plated rings along with each real stone. They are exact duplicates. If the engagement is a success it is very easy to substitute the real for the imitation. —Terre Haute Express.

## LIGHT AND AIRY.

Spoken.  
"Good night, sweetheart!" he softly said.  
And laid her light  
Upon his breast she bowed her head.  
And sighed: "Good night!"  
He clasped her close. "Good night!" said he in tender tone.  
"Good night!" once more responded she.  
"My love! my own!"  
And then: "Good night, my own dear love!"  
Again said he.  
More softly than a cooling dove:  
"Good night!" said she.

But whether he said so again  
I cannot say.  
For I got tired of listening then.  
And came away. —Somerville Journal.

Mixed the Gems in Color.  
Ethereal Wife (rapturously)—Oh, Geodig! Mrs. Van Doren has bought the elegant sapphires which have been on exhibition at Tiffany's. She paid \$12,000 for them. Oh, darling! I have never before or since seen such a rich blue as they are!

It was by chance that I happened to call  
And catch Mistress Pig unaware in the hall;  
Where, scolding and prating, as pretty maids do,  
She was just pulling on a refractory shoe.

And oh, how the lace fluttered back to disclose  
The highest of heels, the most pointed of toes.  
With smart siren stockings snug fitting and trim,  
I found the ravishing ankle, seductively slim!

"From extreme to extreme," says the sage, and the view  
Of her exquisite foot in its gay little shoe.  
The spark of my passion to flaming was fanned  
That I went the next morning and asked for her hand.

Not Merely Ornamental.  
Young Mrs. Prettybride (who has not married rich)—Charles is so attentive; he bought me this lovely little shopping bag last night.

Miss Mides (who has not married at all)—Yes! I fancy mine is rather more useful though.

Young Mrs. Prettybride—Indeed, what sort is yours?

Miss Mides—Papa's check book. —The Epoch.

No Flies There.  
Midst many marts which bustle all day long,  
And hum the harmonies of Mammon's song,  
He hurries to and fro and does his best  
An order from each business man to wait.  
Tis thus till evening shadows hover dim—  
There are no flies on him.

As Morpheus flees from Phobus' glaring glance,  
As night succumbeth to day's bright lurid lance,  
A fuzzy, buzzy insect finds the place,  
Wheels through the room and settles on his face.  
A sudden snap! a contest short but grim—  
There are no flies on him.

## Uncle About Johnny.

Wife (at last time)—Cyrus, what day is this?  
Husband—Wednesday.  
Wife (anxiously holding a small pair of trousers at arm's length)—I am afraid Johnny isn't with Cyrus. He generally has at least two pounds more of marble in his pockets at this time in the week than he has to-night. —Chicago Tribune.

Who Knew.  
A city youth is he,  
Who about daylight  
Upon his upper lip  
A weak mustache is seen.

He met his darling Maid,  
And said, "My own sweet love,  
What makes you look so grave?"

"Why, Charlie," she replied,  
"You know I'm going south;  
I knew when you should come  
I'd feel down in the mouth."

## A Strong Draught.

Friend (to actor)—I am glad to see, Jim, that you are getting along so well.

Actor (gruffly)—Yes, I've risen somewhat in my profession, and I think that I can draw pretty well now anywhere.

Friend—That's good, Jim. Let's go down to the bank and see if you can draw the \$10 bill you owe me. —Harper's Bazar.

## Spring Styles Abroad.

He was a Kaffir bold,  
Who was a Zulu maid;  
All his deep love he told  
As he the mad they strayed.

Flowers they then must be:  
There was simplicity.  
There was no guile.  
Plain in their happiness,  
Simple their style of dress,  
Shorn in no fashion book;  
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Brilliant of tenderness—  
She wore a smile.

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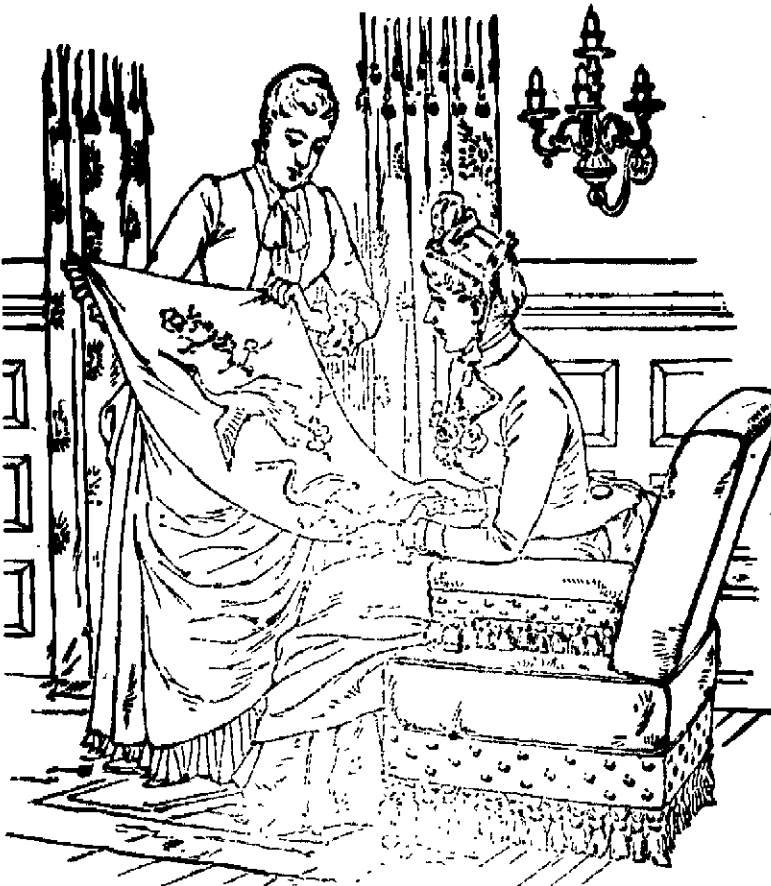
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**NOTICE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1899, there was presented to the Council of the Village of Marion, County of Marion, and State of Ohio, a petition for an ordinance granting the right to construct a street railway on Center street in said Village from the west end of East street west to the west end of said Center street.

Given this 24th day of April, 1899.  
H. M. AULT, Clerk of said Village.  
(12-5-99)



ART needle-work and valuable articles are frequently ruined, or their beauty much impaired by washing them with ordinary soap, which is too rank for such delicate articles. A simple, and the proper method is to make a solution of hot water and Ivory Soap, and allow to cool till lukewarm. This solution, while very effective, is perfectly harmless.

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—Buy your bread at Rupp's.  
—Buy kid gloves at Seiffert Bros.  
—Additional local on second page.  
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—J. W. Hinds & Co. for wall paper.  
—Miss Kirkpatrick, of Delaware, is the  
guest of friends in Marion.

—Lace curtains in beautiful designs and  
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—August Stark and Will Foster were in  
Richwood Friday looking up business.

—Mr. Jno. C. Haley, of Indianapolis, is  
visiting his aunt, Mrs. Kate Baehler, on  
Oak street.

—Geo. Potter, of Madisonville, is visiting  
with the family of T. Breen, on north  
Main street.

—Mrs. E. Huber and daughter, Miss  
Huber, returned Friday, from a pleasant  
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—Eggs for hatching from the ten best  
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—The Marion friends of Mrs. Kate Patton  
will be interested to learn of her marriage  
to a Mr. Shaffer, of Philadelphia. Mr.  
Shaffer has been at Upper Sandusky of late,  
interested in the research for gas at that  
point.

—A Holiness meeting is held every Sab-  
bath at 8:29 a. m. and also at 3 p. m. at the  
home of Mrs. L. Johnson, opposite jail, to  
which strangers stopping in the city over  
Sabbath, and every body is cordially invited  
to attend.

—About 10 o'clock Thursday night a  
crowd of German singers, under the leader-  
ship of Mr. Leon Sheriff, called at the home  
of Chas. Schmaus, on north East street,  
where German songs were indulged in  
until a late hour. All report having had a  
good time.

—In speaking of the Kerr will case com-  
promise the Upper Sandusky Republican  
says: "In the settlement it is reported that  
Edward and Patton get about \$20,000 each,  
W. L. Blair about \$10,000 and J. A. Blair  
about a snug sum. We are informed that  
efforts will next be made to break the will  
in the common pleas court, and some pre-  
dict that this estate will be the subject of  
legal contests for thirty years to come.

—Upon inquiring for your mail at the  
postoffice window this morning, you were,  
probably, met with a vacant stare from the  
body spoken to, indicative of a person laboring  
under a hard mental strain, but after  
investigation you would learn that she had  
been so busily engaged in chasing the  
"Figs in Heaven" that she had even for-  
gotten there was such a thing as a post-  
office in existence.

—Look at the unlaundried shirt, at 47  
cents, working shirts at 35 cents, French  
channel shirts at \$1.50—less than cost, and  
everything in the gent's furnishing goods  
line at same rates. Don't forget that we  
have the Parney stock of watches, clocks,  
jewelry, silverware, etc., which we are sell-  
ing at cost and less. Can sell you a solid  
gold case ladies' watch for \$20. Look at  
them. Never get another chance like this.  
JOHN F. UHLER.

—Says the Pittsburgh Chronicle—Tele-  
graph, about an evangelist, who went over  
the state painting upon rocks, "What Shall  
I Do to Be Saved?" A patent medicine  
advertiser followed him and under the ques-  
tion added this reply: "Use Blank's Cure  
for Consumption." Whence the next painter  
heard of the patent medicine man's  
pernicious activity he went over the ground  
and painted below the advertisement: "And  
prepare to meet thy God." The next man  
will find the last effort hard to beat.

—After writing, telegraphing, and ad-  
vertising in most of the city papers in Ohio,  
we have secured plenty of help in our  
merchandise department. We have  
ordered, (through Mr. Ackerman), three  
new No. 10 domestic cloth manufacturing  
machines. We are in the business not  
only to make money, but to give satisfac-  
tion in goods, style, workmanship, and  
prices never approximated in our city be-  
fore, and are now prepared to turn out a  
suit of clothes, pants or vests on short  
notice. Mr. Winnick is our cutter.  
JOHN F. UHLER.

—Monday and Tuesday will be the last  
days in which tickets will be given on the  
decorated tea set at Marion Bazar. Dur-  
ing the month of May tickets will be given  
on an eight piece chamber set, to every  
person buying 25 cents worth of goods.

—For your decorations on Centennial  
day, April 30th, get some of our silk flags.  
Only 35 cents, three for \$1. Sold for 45  
cents each. They make a beautiful throw.  
Large line of silk handkerchiefs at less than  
cost. JOHN F. UHLER.

—Chris Able came up from Prospect to-  
day with a long string of buggies for the  
Marion agency of their vehicles. Treasurer  
Cook, who is interested and active in the  
management of the Able works, says their  
capacity is unequal to their sales, that busi-  
ness is becoming beyond all expectation.

—We are headquarters on the hat ques-  
tion. Will sell you a fine silk hat for \$1.  
Stuff hats, (Dunlap and Yeoman shapes)  
colored or black, from \$1 to \$2.50 for the  
best. In straw goods we have them at 50  
cents, while cost \$1 and more. For chil-  
dren and boys we have an elegant line at  
one-third to one-half less than former  
prices. Coen & Co's collars and cuffs and  
"shaw knit" socks, plain, fancy and black,  
at about cost. Don't buy a necktie until  
you look at our stock—from 1 cent to 40  
cents. JOHN F. UHLER.

—Crushed Stone Cheap.  
The undersigned will sell, until further  
notice, the best quality of crushed stone  
that has ever been used in Marion, for  
40 cents per yard, at crusher, and for 50  
cents per yard delivered any place in the  
city of Marion. If you who buy for the  
corporation want crushed stone in large  
quantities cheaper than those figures, ad-  
vertise for bids. DANIEL LAWRENCE.

—The Yell to Be Lifted.  
J. N. will speak from the west steps of  
the court house on the 30th inst. He thinks  
that unless the crushing and mysterious  
forces is scattered from his kind friends in  
Marion they cannot assemble to hear him  
in the hall, so he is determined in a short  
address to assume all force, from the court  
house steps, at 8 o'clock. This information  
comes from J. N. with kind greetings to all  
his friends in this city, all for the cause  
which is his idol.

—The partnership heretofore existing be-  
tween A. D. Matthews and J. T. Matthews  
under the firm name of A. D. Matthews &  
Son, is this day, by mutual consent, dis-  
solved.

The unsettled accounts are left in the  
hands of A. D. Matthews for adjustment  
until further notice. A. D. MATTHEWS.

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Weather indications.  
Fair weather, variable winds and slightly warmer, followed  
by cooler northwesterly winds.

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New lot of Chil-  
dren's Spring Heel,  
high and low cuts.  
Prices down to suit  
the Cash Buyers.  
One lot of Ladies' Fine  
\$3.00 Shoes to Close Out at  
\$2.50. HARRIS.

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BOOT & SHOE HOUSE,

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IN NEW QUARTERS!

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Are now located in the newly  
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ner room, on Center street,  
opposite Court House. In ad-  
dition to their immense stock of

DRUGS!

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ialty of

Wall Paper!  
—AND—  
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At inviting prices. Call at the  
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UNDER THE CARS.

Mark Mito, a C. H. V. and T. Brakeman,  
the Victim of a Distressing Accident at  
Owen.

Another accident, which may add one  
more name to the long list of railroad fatali-  
ties, occurred at Owen, Friday evening,  
about 8 o'clock. Mark Mito, a brakeman  
on a C. H. V. and T. extra freight coming  
north, this time is the unfortunate victim.

While placing a car of coal into one of  
the side tracks at that place and while per-  
forming some duties on top of the cars, it  
is supposed he slipped and fell between the  
cars, and was dragged a considerable  
distance beneath the cars before the ac-  
cident was known to the other members of  
the train crew. He was picked up and  
brought to this city and taken to the home  
of George McLane, on west Center street.

Doctors Rhine and Sweeney were immediately  
summoned, who at once pronounced his  
injuries extremely dangerous, if not fatal.

They were found to consist of serious  
bruises about his right shoulder, a very bad  
scalp wound, three ribs broken and a horri-  
ble laceration of the perineum. His  
wounds were dressed and he was made as  
comfortable as possible, but today he is  
reported as not resting easy and his condi-  
tion is very unfavorable for his recovery.

Upon inquiry it was learned that he is  
28 years of age and has a wife and two  
children living in Columbus, where he re-  
sides.

There will be a meeting at the Presby-  
terian church, in Marion, on Tuesday,  
April 30th, at 9 o'clock a. m., to celebrate  
the centennial of the inauguration of the  
first President, in accordance with the pro-  
clamation of the President of the U. S., and  
the Governor of Ohio.

The ministers, churches, orders and edu-  
cational generally, are invited to join in this  
service, the program of which is given be-  
low. It is hoped that the patriotism of our  
people will express itself in a worthy man-  
ner on this historic occasion.

Music, Choir: Reading of President's  
Proclamation, Rev. M. C. Miner; Reading  
of Scriptures, Rev. P. Cocklin; Prayer, Rev.  
Mr. Lucas; Music, "Star Spangled Banner";  
Solo and Chorus: Address, (10 minutes) E.  
W. Thomas, M. D.; Address, (10 minutes) Rev.  
J. L. Hensley; Prayer, Rev. A. J.  
Wiant; Music, "America"; Congregation;  
Benediction.

This program may be subject to slight  
alterations. W. E. THOMAS,  
Com. on Program.

The Art Club Entertainment.  
The "Feast of the Days," under the aus-  
pices of the Marion Art Club, like all other  
entertainments which the good ladies of  
Marion manage, proved a splendid success,  
both in point of entertainment and its finan-  
cial outcome.

The attendance Friday evening was even  
larger than on the previous evening, and  
the entertainment was also better. The  
ladies may congratulate themselves on  
having scored a big success.

Resolution Notice.  
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